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OUTLINES.

The Jury in the land fraud cases on trail at Washington convict two of the defendants on 32 of the 42 counts in the bill—Mr. Roosevelt is leading a quiet life at Sagamore Hill. There are rumors that Mr. Loeb will become the National committee chairman; but nothing on the subject can be found out at headquarters—Rupert V. Wilson, on plea of guilty in the Federal Court in New York of robbing the Atlantic Coast Line and other railroad companies through fraudulent use of the mails, is sentenced to eight months' imprisonment—The Interstate Commerce Commission announces several important decisions on the long and short haul question—Secretary Taft spent yesterday at Yale University. It was a busy day with him—William J. Connors, chairman of the New York Democratic committee, thinks Taft is the easiest man to defeat that the Republicans could have nominated, provided the right man is put up against him. From his remarks in a published interview he does not appear to be a strong advocate of Mr. Bryan for that place—General Luke Wright will go to Washington on Thursday to hold a conference with Secretary Taft before taking charge of the War Department—The Democratic convention of the Tenth North Carolina district renominates Congressman Crawford and instructs for Bryan—The formal nomination of Mr. Taft of his nomination is to be made in Cincinnati about the middle of July and the day will be observed as a general holiday, all banks and business houses closing. It will be a non-partisan affair—A fire in Port Chester, N. Y. yesterday destroyed property to the value of \$500,000 and rendered 40 families homeless—A second son was born to the Queen of Spain last night—A severe heat wave has enveloped New York and the Eastern States for the last three days. There have been a number of prostrations in the city of New York and last night the temperature reached 86 degrees at 1 o'clock—Congressman Sherman, the Republican nominee for Vice President has been detained in Cleveland, Ohio, by a serious attack of illness with which he was attacked on his way from Chicago, where he had been in attendance on the National convention—New York markets: Rosin quiet. Turpentine quiet. Flour firm. Wheat irregular, No. 2 96 elevator. Corn firm, No. 2 78 1-2 elevator. Oats steady, mixed 54 to 55. Cotton quiet, 20 points lower, middling uplands 12, middling gulf 12.25. Money on call easy.

Mr. Bryan was rather unfortunate in his first scriptural quotation and application of the text in the campaign.

It's Wright, and Mr. Roosevelt thinks it's all right to catch the electoral vote of the State of Tennessee for his candidate for President.

Colonel Henry Watterson says the Republican party is doomed. And yet he advocates the nomination of Colonel Bryan as Secretary Taft's opponent.

We hope the Democrats of this Senatorial district and of the county known by this time who is their nominee for State Senator and who for member of the lower house.

Tomorrow will see the beginning of the ending of the red hot contest for the nomination for Governor in this State—the convening of the Democratic State convention in Charlotte.

Can Georgians vote for a man for Vice President who bears the name of Sherman and for whom the Republican convention was stampeded by a band playing "Marching Through Georgia?" Hardly.

An exchange says Texas has furnished the Republican Presidential candidate with a pair of breeches made out of the hide of a single ram. Surely that editor should know the difference between a Texas ram and a mammoth.

The Newbern Journal of Sunday in noting locally that the day before was the hottest of the season, remarked incidentally that "no breeze happened the whole day." Without such a happening we judge it was pretty disagreeable weather in that town.

The cranks do not seem to have learned yet that Mr. Roosevelt has moved to Sagamore Hill for the summer. He has been there since Saturday and the secret service guard has not pulled a single crank, man or woman in all that time.

Some folks want to know of Surgeon General Wyman's fears about the bubonic plague getting a foothold in this country will the Republican campaign managers be able to take advantage of its early suppression or will they blame the Democrats for its appearing at all in this country.

WILSON TOOK FIRST

Score Three to Nothing Against Sailors With Tobaccoists Yesterday.

CLEAN AND WELL PLAYED

Webster Pitched Steady Game—Raleigh Red Sox Easy Fruit for the Goldsboro Top Liners—Other Notes.

Results Yesterday.
Wilmington 1, Wilson 3.
Kinston at Newbern.
Raleigh 1, Goldsboro 5.
Games Today.
Raleigh at Goldsboro.
Wilmington at Wilson.
Kinston at Newbern.

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.
Wilson	9	2	.818
Goldsboro	7	4	.636
Wilmington	6	6	.500
Raleigh	5	7	.416
Kinston	4	6	.400
Newbern	2	9	.181

(Special Star Telegram.)
Wilson, N. C., June 22.—The Sailors ran against a snag today in a clean, well-played game with the Tobaccoists, the latter club winning by better all-round playing and hitting. Ogle outpitched Webster retiring eleven to two. Wilmington has a good team and played a snappy game but learned early this afternoon that unjustified kicks were no good and behaved themselves. Captain Smith in putting out Moore on third, in the third inning, sprained his ankle and retired; Bussey took his place at third. Smith was not much missed.

The only fielding feature was a sensational catch by Flynn in the seventh, of what looked like a two-bagger from Wagner's bat. Another feature was Henderson's satisfactory umpiring, and it is plain to be seen that he will never be caught resigning.

The Tabulated Score.

Wilson	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Wagner	4	1	1	1	0	0
Moore	3	0	2	1	0	0
Mills	1b	2	0	1	1	0
Miller	rf	3	4	0	0	1
Turner	ss	3	1	1	2	2
Adams	2b	3	0	0	2	1
Guerrant	3b	4	0	2	0	3
Hugg	c	2	0	2	10	2
Ogle	p	3	0	0	0	0
Totals	27	3	9	27	10	1

The Score By Innings.
Wilson 000 000 010—3 9 1
Wilmington 000 000 010—1 6 2
Summary—Two base hits, Turner. Bases on balls, Ogle none; by Webster 2. Struck out, by Ogle 10; by Webster 1. Umpire Henderson. Time 1:40. Attendance 800.

The Red Sox Were Easy.
Goldsboro, N. C., June 22.—Goldsboro had very little trouble in taking one from Raleigh here today. The game was rather uninteresting except for some real good fielding on both sides. Umstead kept up his excellent work both in the box and at the bat.

Score By Innings.
Raleigh 000 000 001—1 6 4
Goldsboro 000 002 200—5 5 2
Batteries—Harris and Thompson; Umstead and Bennett and Edgar. Umpire Shepard. Time 1:43.

BIG BASKET PICNIC.

Pender County People to Hold Big Educational Rally at Six Forks.
A big basket picnic and educational rally will be held on the fourth of July at Six Forks, Pender county, and the good people for miles around are expected to attend. There will be music, dancing and other diversions for the young people and State Superintendent J. Y. Joyner, of Raleigh, will be present and deliver an educational address. The committee in charge is composed of Messrs. E. Mack Moore, J. R. Bannerman, O. P. Johnson and J. A. Rowe, and they are arranging for a delightful occasion for all who attend.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Palace Market—Lunch Tongue.
S. P. Collier—New Series of Stock. Citizens' B. & L. Ass'n—New Series.
R. T. Vann—Baptist Female University.
J. W. Robinson & Co.—Is Everybody Happy?
American National Bank—Our Best Attention.
Business Locals.
Lost—White Setter Dog.
Young Man—Desires Position.
Smith & Lord—Property for Sale.
Surf Bathing.
A popular feature at Lumina is the fine surf bathing. Lumina has excellent bathing facilities.

MR. T. F. SIMMONS DEAD

Well Known Former Wilmington Citizen Passed Away Yesterday Morning at the Hospital—Remains to Maryland for Interment.

Friends in this city and elsewhere will learn with painful sorrow of the death of Mr. Thomas Franklin Simmons, for a number of years a resident of this city but lately residing at Faison, N. C. Mr. Simmons passed away at 5:20 o'clock yesterday morning at the James Walker Memorial Hospital in this city, to which he had been brought last Friday for an operation for uremia.

He became sick last Thursday afternoon and upon a diagnosis of the case, he was advised to come at once to the hospital here for an operation, having been brought down Friday morning. Upon reaching here a minor operation disclosed the fact that it was too late for the major operation and the physicians worked with him along other lines with the hope of at least restoring him to a condition where the more difficult operation would be possible. This, however, was without avail and Mr. Simmons sank gradually until the end came to relieve him of his suffering.

Mr. Simmons was 48 years of age and was born in Frederick, Md., his father being the late Charles S. Simmons and his mother, who is still living at Frederick being Mrs. Elizabeth G. Simmons. Mr. Simmons came to Wilmington about 12 years ago and for some time was manager of the Inter-State Telephone Company in this city, before the exchange was merged with that of the Southern Bell Telephone Company. Later he was interested in the Pannell Paint Company for several years and was with the Independent Ice Company for a short time, but recently he had been travelling for the Southern Mutual Home and Real Estate Company of which Mr. M. C. Hammond, of this city, is president. Mr. Simmons was a man of the greatest gentility and made many friends. He was a man of fine intelligence and extremely courteous bearing toward all with whom he came in contact. His presence among those who knew him and who claimed him as a friend will be sadly missed.

Mr. Simmons was twice married, his first wife preceding him to the grave a number of years ago. As the result of this union there are two daughters surviving, Misses Elizabeth and Florence Simmons, of Washington, aged 17 and 19 years, respectively. His second wife was Mrs. Pelree, of Duplin county, and she survives him, having been with her husband at the hospital when the end came. There are also surviving one brother, Mr. Lee H. Simmons, general manager of the Independent Ice Company, of this city; two sisters, Mrs. Fannie DeLashmunt, of Frederick, Md., and Mrs. J. V. Jamison, of Hagerstown, Md.; also his aged mother, Mrs. Elizabeth G. Simmons, to whom the sad news was communicated by telegraph at Frederick yesterday.

Brief funeral services were conducted here at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon by the Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, and the remains accompanied by his brother and other members of the sorrowing family were taken yesterday evening to the former home of the deceased at Frederick for burial, with concluding service at the grave this afternoon. The services yesterday afternoon were from the residence of Mr. Lee H. Simmons, No. 510 Chesnut street, and the pallbearers at the station were Messrs. E. W. Wallace, D. H. Penton, W. E. Perdew, C. W. Woodward, R. F. Warren and Thos. R. Post.

Appeal From Justice's Court.

Mr. H. E. Truelove, who keeps a saloon on Water street, charged with simple assault, was tried before Justice Bornemann yesterday, and after being taxed with the cost, took an appeal to the higher court and furnished bond of \$25. The trouble occurred between Jessie Croom and Mr. Truelove at the ball park Saturday afternoon, when the latter demanded of the Croom boy that he sit down and when he refused, it is alleged that Mr. Truelove slapped him down. A warrant was issued and the trial was set for late Saturday night but it was found necessary to postpone the case until yesterday in order to get the witnesses to the hearing. The defendant denied striking the boy, but the evidence was such as to convince the court that he was guilty of the charge. It is probable that the case will be heard in the Superior Court at this time.

Funeral of Coley Watts.

The last sad rites over the remains of Coley Watts, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Millan Watts, were conducted from the home at Delgado yesterday morning and the remains were interred in Bellevue cemetery. The child's death occurred at 5 o'clock Sunday morning, after an illness of two weeks or more and the news of his death created the deepest sorrow among the many friends of the parents.

A Day at the Beach.

Lumina is an ideal place for family parties wishing to spend a day at the beach. Lumina is free to all and is an ideal place for the children.

SPECIAL COURT TERM

Two Weeks For Trial of Criminal Cases Only Convened Yesterday Morning.

GOOD PROGRESS MADE

Two Arraigned For Capital Felonies. Criminal Assault Case Set For Tomorrow—Many Submissions Taken—Other News Notes.

The two weeks term of New Hanover Superior Court for the trial of criminal cases, Judge Robert B. Peebles, of Northampton, presiding, convened yesterday morning and will likely prove one of the most important sessions held in several years.

The term is for the disposition of cases, largely felonies, that have accumulated since last Summer, a two-weeks regular term having been postponed in January on account of critical illness in the family of Judge Neal, riding the district at that time. Yesterday the court convened promptly at 9 o'clock and aside from organization, considerable business was transacted. Judge Peebles and Solicitor Duffy work well together and there is no time lost in preliminaries. Judge Peebles announced that court would convene each morning at 9 o'clock and the sessions would continue daily until 2:30 P. M., making afternoon sessions unnecessary to accomplish the usual amount of business.

The case of most interest yesterday was one in which H. W. Redwine, colored, was charged with breaking into the house of another negro named Bettencourt in the northern part of the city some time ago, smashing a trunk and stealing a pistol and other articles therefrom. Redwine was found guilty and sentenced to nine years at hard labor on the roads of the county. Two cases of carrying a concealed weapon against the same defendant were dismissed upon suspended judgments.

Three cases against William E. Watson, charged with carrying a concealed weapon, disorderly conduct and resisting an officer last Christmas eve at foot of Market street, were dismissed upon payment of costs and of \$50 issued when the defendant failed to appear at a recent term of court, the whole amounting to something over \$70. The amount was paid during the afternoon and the defendant was discharged. Herbert McClammy, Esq., and City Attorney Bellamy were associated with the solicitor in the prosecution of the case and this disposition was satisfactory to them.

At 1:15 o'clock in the afternoon the grand jury came into court in a body and returned a true bill for criminal assault against Timothy Clemmons, of Delgado, his alleged victim being a little girl of the factory village less than 14 years of age. Clemmons was formally arraigned and through his counsel, L. Clayton Grant, Esq., pleaded not guilty. A venire of 300 was ordered summoned from which to select a jury to try the case beginning tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. Clemmons is a middle-aged man and has a family including several grandchildren.

Organization For The Term.

Immediately upon the convening of court yesterday, the grand jury was organized and work was immediately begun. Mr. W. J. Craig, Passenger Traffic Manager of the Atlantic Coast Line, was sworn as foreman of the grand jury with other members as follows: R. F. Colwell, M. Cherry, J. M. Ratson, J. B. Myers, Henry E. Ortman, J. R. Bear, G. H. Davis, J. D. Doscher, Jr., K. W. Price, S. R. Ellis, A. C. Devane, J. C. Kendall, J. Lem King, Thos. Gladden, Theo. Schrader, G. W. Westbrook and D. D. Benton. Officer of the grand jury, Melvin Horne.

The following cases were disposed of during the day: Lillie Smith, resisting an officer, not guilty. John Smith, resisting an officer, continued until Saturday. Jas. Louder, assault with a deadly weapon, bill waived, judgment suspended on payment of costs. J. A. Westbrook, undue intimacy with girl under 14 years of age, continued by consent. James Freeman, carrying concealed weapon, continued for defendant. F. J. Gooding, assault with deadly weapon, nolo contendere, judgment suspended on payment costs. Robert McIntyre, larceny, continued. Ed Self, assault with deadly weapon, pleads guilty to simple assault, judgment suspended on payment costs. James Melton, larceny, judgment suspended on good behavior. Will Lane, Robert Hill and Luther Ray, gambling, called and failed except as to Ray, who pleaded guilty and was fined \$5 and one-third the costs. Louis Yates, highway robbery, not prosessed with leave. Tom Croom, assault, called and failed; later appeared and case left open. Chas. B. Capps, appeal, continued by consent. Dunk Brown, larceny, called and failed. Dan Brown, carrying concealed weapon, pleads guilty, fined \$5 and costs. A. C. Brown, assault with deadly weapon, alias capias and continued. L. M. Bryant, larceny, not pros with leave. Hezekiah Miller, failure to work roads, case agreed upon for appeal to Supreme Court.

Just before a recess for the day Chas. Hall, the negro recently brought

OFF FOR THE CONVENTION

New Hanover Will Be Represented by Large Delegation at Charlotte. Many Leave on Early Morning Train Today.

"On to Charlotte!" is the watchword with the politicians of New Hanover and adjoining counties just at present. In fact, a number of delegates from Wilmington have already left for the scene of action at the seat of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence and a large party will leave on the 4:50 o'clock Seaboard train this morning. Extra coaches have been attached to the regular train and every arrangement has been made to handle the crowds with comfort and dispatch.

New Hanover will be represented by a full delegation headed by Mayor William E. Springer, who was chairman of the recent county convention and to whom was delegated the authority to appoint the representatives to Charlotte. Among those who left yesterday afternoon to be present for the preliminaries of what promises to be one of the most strenuous conventions in the history of the State, were Messrs. Jas. H. Cowan, J. O. Carr, T. W. Davis, Walker Taylor and Hon. John D. Bellamy. Mr. H. W. Malloy, another of the delegates, left last night for Richmond and after a brief business visit there will join the delegation in Charlotte. In the party which will leave on the early train this morning are Messrs. William E. Springer, John J. Furlong, M. S. Willard, Thos. C. James, J. A. Karr, W. E. Perdew, C. F. MacRae, H. Hocutt, Marsden Bellamy, Jr., George L. Peschau, Geo. L. Morton, Herbert McClammy, G. J. Bone, Woodus Kellum, Z. W. Whitehead, Robert Ruark, L. V. Grady, Capt. John Barry and Capt. Jas. I. Metts.

Another of the delegation, Mr. L. B. Rogers, will leave on the early morning train for Rock Hill, S. C., accompanying Mrs. Rogers and children and will later go to Charlotte to join the party.

It is needless to say that the bulk of New Hanover's vote will be cast for Ashley Horne, of Clayton, he having received the large majority of the strength in the county convention. Mr. Horne's friends are loyal to him and the delegates will be expected by the voters back here at home to have no second choice and to stand by him to the last ditch. They are confident that he will win, if his friends stand by him to the last and it is believed that they will do it. The greatest interest is manifested in the probable outcome of the contest.

Charlotte, N. C. June 22.—The plans are already gathering for the great State Convention here Wednesday and it is expected that between 8,000 and 10,000 people will be here when the chairman raps for order Wednesday at noon. The three candidates arrived in the city Sunday afternoon. Colonel Horne has headquarters at the Buford, Kitchin at the Central and Craig at the Selwyn. The first special to arrive was over the Southern from Goldsboro, bringing a large delegation from the East at 11:45 to night. Another special arrives from Goldsboro tomorrow night and still another Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

AT THE CRYSTAL PALACE

Splendid Vaudeville Offering This Week—The Bullucks Excellent.

The Crystal Palace is offering this week an exceptionally fine bill of vaudeville and one that is bound to attract the crowds, once the merits of the performances become known. The Bullucks, Theo. and Lucile, in a singing and dancing specialty are said to be topplers of the highest class, while "Baby Bertha" in a monologue and electrical act and "Infanta Victor" three years of age, in a singing specialty were also prime favorites with the audience last evening. In addition to these the Crystal is also offering Bulluck and Reid, Gus and Kenneth, in a laughable comedy skit called "The Fast Mail." The Bulluck Sisters, Ethel and Bessie, are seen in a character change and are also pleasing the large audiences which throng the theatre nightly. The place is kept cool by means of numerous electric fans and visitors will find it a most attractive resort both afternoons and evenings.

back from New York, was arraigned on the charge of the murder of James Singleton in this city in 1902. The case will be tried during this term but no definite day has as yet been set. So far as is known he is not represented by counsel. The recess yesterday was until 9 o'clock this morning.

NEWS FROM RALEIGH

All Eyes Are Now Turned Toward Great State Convention in Charlotte.

VIEWS OF THE SITUATION

Charter For New Wilmington Corporation and Amendment of Another. Wheeler Martin III—A. L. James Appointed.

(Special Star Correspondence.)
Raleigh, N. C., June 22.—The movement toward Charlotte for the State Democratic Convention will be well on tomorrow and Wednesday morning there being time for people to leave Raleigh on early trains Wednesday and reach Charlotte in time for the opening of the convention.

There will scarcely be enough of the clerical force left at the State capital to keep the State offices open, so great is the desire to see the great contest that everybody realizes will develop in the struggle for the gubernatorial nomination. Governor Glenn is as yet undecided as to whether or not he will go to Charlotte, but thinks he will in all probability be there. The Governor wants to be sent to the National Democratic Convention at Denver as a delegate—and in that event it is his purpose to accept the request that came recently from William Jennings Bryan that he make a speech in the convention seconding the nomination of the distinguished Nebraskan as the Democratic candidate for President. Governor Glenn is anxious, too, for the State convention to instruct its delegates to Denver to support the Bryan candidacy.

Politicians and others here are completely at sea as to the probable outcome of the contest for the Governorship. While some are taking up the "dark horse" idea, the general expression is that one of the three candidates who made the fight in the primary, Craig, Kitchin or Horne, should have it. Those talking "dark horse" are turning pretty generally to Hon. R. A. Doughton, of Allegheny. The chances of Mr. Horne are regarded as especially good in view of the sharp lines that are drawn in the contest between Kitchin and Craig. Mr. Horne will have 150 or more delegates pledged, enough to prevent the nomination of either of his opponents, if he can hold them together. This his managers are confident they can do, and besides draw on his opponents sufficiently at the finish to capture the nomination.

The Hicks Company, of Wilmington, files an amendment of charter reducing capital from \$13,000 to \$3,000. R. W. Hicks and A. C. Craft are the officers of the corporation.

A charter is issued for the U. D. Phares Furniture Company, Wilmington, capital \$10,000 by G. D. and M. J. Phares and A. C. Sneed, the three having \$3,000 stock.

Mr. Wheeler Martin, the new Internal revenue collector for the Eastern District of North Carolina, returned this morning from the National Republican Convention at Chicago, suffering from chills and fever. He was growing worse and left on an early train for his home at Williamston, accompanied by Colonel Harry Skinner, district attorney who was with him on the trip from Chicago. The friends of Mr. Martin here are very anxious about him.

Rev. J. C. Masse closed a five years pastorate with the Tabernacle Baptist church last night, delivering his farewell sermon in the presence of one of the largest congregations that ever assembled in the church.

MARRIED AT MOUNT AIRY.

Robert W. Davis, Esq., Prominent Southport Attorney, Claims Bride.
Many friends here and elsewhere will be interested in the announcement of the marriage of Miss Minnie Blackwell, an attractive young woman of Lebanon Heights, near Mount Airy, N. C., and Robert W. Davis, Esq., a leading young attorney of Southport, which was celebrated on Wednesday morning of the past week at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. J. E. Smith, wife of the pastor of the Baptist Church at Mount Airy.
The marriage was a double ceremony with another sister of the bride, Miss Susie Blackwell, who was claimed as a bride by Mr. A. E. Garrett, a talented young business man of Leaksville, N. C., the service being by Rev. J. E. Smith. The residence was beautifully decorated according to a color scheme of yellow and white and a number of young people were present to witness the nuptials. The wedding marches were played by Mrs. R. H. Newton, and the guests were received by Misses Nell Bodenheimer, Emma Barker and Lottie Newton. After the ceremony an elegant wedding supper was served and the bridal party left on the 1:30 P. M. train for Asheville and Lake Toxaway where they will spend their honeymoon.

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OVERTURES TO GOV. GLENN.

It is now said that Governor Glenn is wanted by the Prohibitionists as their candidate for the nomination for President four years hence; that there has recently been in Raleigh a certain party for the purpose of securing the Governor for a course of lyceum lectures after the expiration of his term as Governor and that then he shall become the avowed candidate for the Prohibition party for the Presidential nomination in the next campaign.

As Governor Glenn has been spoken of as the Democratic candidate for Vice President on the Democratic ticket with Mr. Bryan and has also been personally requested by that gentleman to put him in nomination before the Democratic convention, one would think that the other proposition, if he had any idea of accepting it, would place him in a rather embarrassing position before the convention when he arose before the assembled delegates of that party to urge the nomination by its delegates of the peerless leader of the party to which the speaker now belongs, but which he might be under contract to abandon in the next presidential campaign if given the nomination of that other party as its candidate for the Presidency. If Mr. Glenn has any idea of becoming a delegate to the National Convention from his State, we do not think he would in the meantime close a contract with another party to become one of its campaigners in the near future with the understanding that he should be made its standard bearer in the next campaign.

It may be true, as reported, that a man had come to Raleigh to make certain propositions to Mr. Glenn, but we do not believe he would at this time listen to any such overtures. We are sure his sense of honor would make him remain faithful to the party which put him in office as its chief executive and that he would act with that party so long as he represented it as its standard bearer. With what political party he might affiliate after he again becomes a private citizen, responsible only to his conscience and to his personal preferences, because of his views on prohibition, is another matter and one with which the people who elected him governor as a Democrat have nothing to do. When that time comes, he will have the right as a free-born and independent American citizen to choose what political course best suits him and he conscientiously thinks is to the best interest of his State and of her people.

"MUSINGS."

"When the hours of day are numbered
And the voices of the night awake
The better soul that slumbered,

Then the forms of the departed enter
At the open door;
The beloved, the true-hearted, come to
Visit us once more."

These beautiful lines must have been recalled to the mind of the gifted editor of the Charlotte Chronicle as he sat all alone, with only the solitude of the night for companion, watching the unchanging, everchanging roll of the waves and beat of the breakers on the shore and listening to the ceaseless dirge of the surf. Similar thoughts are almost irresistibly forced upon anyone under similar conditions, but few can give expression to them in the language used by the Chronicle editor in the following editorial we find in his paper under the heading "Musings."

"What a place for reveries! Flitting clouds that one moment shadow the sand dunes and the next bring them out under the light of the moon, like miniature mountains overlaid with snow, the great, broken line of white caps, heaving, tossing, tumbling in fantastic shapes, and the music of the surf, now low, now thunderous, borne in by the South wind—ever the sweet South wind. The sound of piano, violin and cornet from the far end of the corridor has attracted the people of the hotel and in our corner on the balcony we are alone. Alone? No. For marvelous to relate, we are surrounded by a goodly company. In one of the lightly balanced rockers that had been swaying to and fro as the breeze would strike it, sits one who left us so many years ago. In another chair is one whose hand we touched but yesterday. Familiar faces, for a sight of which the heart has yearned, are all about us, the

same faces we looked upon in death, yet not the same, for they have seen the Master and have been glorified. Looking upon them in the radiance of the new light, we are led to wonder if we were worthy of their friendship, of their love, of their devotion? The thought comes to us that in their purified state they must see in us much of grossness. There sits one upon whose brow we brought a wrinkle of trouble by a thoughtless word; here another who forgave an act that wounded, and still another who sorrowed that we were weak when we should have been strong, but from their eyes there shines only the love that was fully borne into our heart after they had gone and we could not call them back. We can see them; we can feel their presence; we would ask them so many things but they are voiceless. The pain of it! We would have them tell us of the Great Mystery they have fathomed. Have they seen things more enchanting than the earth, the sun, the stars, the planets? They must have, else their faces would not be so much more beautiful than we had known them in life. Do they pity us, that we want to grow old here, rather than to be young with them? It seems to us that they do. And is death, through which we have to pass to go to them, such a terrible thing after all? Oh, tell us, tell us. * * * For answer, the music of the surf, now low, now thunderous, borne in by the South wind—ever the sweet South wind."

SALE OF STATE BUILDING AT JAMESTOWN.

A Norfolk dispatch announced, a day or so ago, the sale of the North Carolina building at the Jamestown exposition, but said no particulars could be obtained. A Norfolk dispatch to the Charlotte Observer states that the purchaser was Mr. C. A. Woodward of that city, who paid in the neighborhood of five thousand dollars for this building, exclusive of the lot; that he will remove it and put it up again for use as a summer residence. The building cost the State twenty-three thousand dollars and was one of the handsomest State buildings on the grounds. As such matters go we suppose the State got a very good price for the building, but we do not understand why there should be so much secrecy about what the State authorities who had the sale in charge received for it. The money has got to be accounted for at some time—or some one will want to know the reason why—then why not let it be known now what was the amount received for the property? What is the use of making a mystery about it?

Sunday's News and Observer might be disquieted as a State convention issue. It has an interesting write-up of Charlotte, profusely illustrated and also contains the portraits of many of the leading citizens of the State who will be prominent in that meeting, but as candidates for nomination to the various offices to be filled and as leading members of the body. Among the pictures is one of Hon. George H. Bellamy, of Brunswick county, who received the endorsement of the Democratic convention of this district for the nomination for Lieutenant Governor.

This is the day, we believe for the marriage of Miss Jean Reid, daughter of the American Ambassador at the court of St. James, to Mr. John Hubert Ward, who is a brother of the Earl of Dudley and equerry to King Edward. At the special request of the King the marriage ceremony will be performed in the chapel royal of St. James' palace and his Majesty will be present. This is because he wishes to emphasize the marriage in London of the daughter of an Ambassador and because it is the first wedding during his reign of a member of his official household.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—We confess to a feeling of some curiosity about the outcome of the Patterson-Carmack contest for Governor in Tennessee. Both sides of course, are "absolutely assured of victory." If much more heat develops the campaign will almost approach Georgia politics in ferocity. Next Saturday night all will be over but the bitterness.—Charlotte Observer.

—Charlotte papers say the reports which have gained currency that Charlotte hotels are going to charge advanced rates to delegates and others attending the State convention are entirely without foundation, as at the time the convention was invited to Charlotte a schedule of hotel charges was furnished the State executive committee and these rates would be lived up to. With this we do not see that any one going to the convention need fear that exorbitant prices will be charged them. For the hotels to do otherwise would be very damaging to Charlotte, and the "Queen City" is not going to hunt for any criticism.—Greenville Reflector.

—Two voting points are from time to time mentioned as being against Mr. Taft—first, organized labor, and second, the colored vote. Most of organized labor is in protected industries. These will not vote against the Republican party and protection for any fancied personal grievance and we all know the Northern negro will vote Republican. Therefore, on these two points, Mr. Taft is probably as strong as on any other. Taft will get the Republican vote all right. The only question is whether the Democrats can get together for a bigger

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—We reproduce elsewhere today an editorial from The Charlotte Observer, with respect to Mr. Cleveland's friendship to the South. While from the point of view expressed by our contemporary in denouncing the loyal Democracy of the South for its one-time political hostility to Mr. Cleveland we most emphatically dissent—yet the fact that in the hands of the national Democratic party only, has the South received its due recognition in the matter of Federal appointments since the war, cannot be too strongly emphasized, and especially at this time. Mr. Cleveland deserves all honor and commendation from the South, for the essentially non-sectional policy which was one of the crowning and noblest features of his two administrations.—Lynchburg News.

—At the recent demonstrations in St. Petersburg, as is currently reported, the Czar Nicholas drew about his divinely anointed person a unique bodyguard to shield him from the bomb of Nihilist and Revolutionary and the restless vengeance of his subjects. It was composed of three thousand children. Before this wreath of roses the fury of assassins and the righteous wrath of oppressed millions recoiled ashamed. But the Russian Caesar was not ashamed. He felt secure within the cordon of those rosy faces and innocent hearts. These children of Russia were too young to know him and to despise him; and they shielded with their smiles and joyous hearts and tender bodies this representative of the cruelest tyranny on earth, this remnant of a ruthless feudalism, this fool of a heartless autocracy and pitiless oppression.—Columbia State.

—Governor Cummins, of Iowa, and others who really want tariff reform "got it in the neck" at Chicago. No reform of the tariff will ever carry from the Republican party, and the man who opposes the present tariff policy must logically vote the Republican ticket.—Charlotte Chronicle.

—There may be no significance in the fact, still it is worthy of notice that the "longest applause on record" began at the moment when Senator Lodge extolled the firmness with which Mr. Roosevelt had put away from him all temptation to accept the Presidency for another term. Could it have been glad relief at the conclusive settlement of that doubt which led delegates and audience to give vent to their feelings by tumultuous and sustained cheering? We have known an orator to be highly gratified when his hearers, therefore quiescent, greeted with marked approval his peroration, thereby expressing gratification that their ordeal was about to end. Is our beloved President quite sure that the demonstration at Chicago was not of that character?—Virginia-Pilot.

TWINKLINGS.

—That Depends—"Do you believe in autohypnotism?" "Yes, if you own one of the blamed things."—Baltimore American.

—For Internal Use—"A fly in the ointment isn't so bad." "Say the rest of it." "It is the fly in the strawberry jam that provokes."—Kansas City Journal.

—The Touchstone—"She is a most accomplished woman." "Is she?" "Why, have you never heard her sing?" "Yes." "And seen her paintings?" "Yes." "Then how can you ask?" "I have never tasted her pies."—Nashville American.

—"How could you distinguish Achilles from the girls?" asked the Greeks. "How could you see that he was a man in woman's garb?" "He didn't drop his handkerchief," explained Ulysses, "everytime he turned around."—Washington Herald.

—Upton (whose office is on the 29th floor)—Great Scott! Uncle, you don't mean to say you walked all the way up here and the elevators running? Uncle Rube—"Well, thirty years ago I could a' run, too, but I ain't a-racing with no elevators these days!"—Puck.

—"Remember, a book play needs booming." "I'm getting some of the best citizens to say a good word for our production." "Bah! You'll never make a press agent. What you want to do is to get 'em to denounce it."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

—"Ma, why don't you keep out of the parlor? Things are running smoothly now." "You ain't engaged yet, daughter, and your ma knows from experience that a young man who finds things running too smoothly is apt to get bored and quit."—Kansas

City Journal.

—Guest (to lonely-looking man in the corner)—Awful stupid affair, don't you think? "No doubt of it." "No man would ever dream of giving a mixed-up affair of this sort." "That's what I told my wife?" "Have I met your wife?" "Very likely. She's giving the party!"—London Opinion.

—"You provide essential conveniences for photographers, do you not?" "Yes," answered Farmer Cornstossel. It's a good idea to encourage summer boarders to get their photographs took. They're sort of in duty bound to look pleasant, and the mosquitoes never show in the pictures.—Washington Star.

—The editor of an agricultural paper was grumbling about a puzzling question he had received from a city man who had recently removed to the country. The inquiry was this: "Will you kindly tell how long cows should be milked?" The office boy, passing near, heard his superior repeating the question aloud. "Scuse me, boss," he said "but w'y don't you tell him jes' de same's short cows?"—Judge.

THE BANKERS' ASSOCIATION.

Session at Morehead City Was Very Pleasant and Entertaining.

Delegates returning from the 12th annual convention of the North Carolina Bankers' Association at Morehead City speak in the most enthusiastic terms of the meeting. Eastern Carolina bankers took a prominent part in the proceedings. Mr. L. A. Bethune, of Clinton, having read a particularly able paper on "The Needed Reforms in Our State Banking Laws," a certified copy of which, on motion of Col. Jno. F. Bruton, of Wilson, was ordered sent to the Corporation Commission.

Mr. H. W. Jackson, of Raleigh, was elected president; Jno. O. Ellington, Fayetteville, first vice president; W. C. Wilkinson, Charlotte, second vice president; J. C. Braswell, Rocky Mount, third vice president; W. A. Hunt, Henderson, secretary and treasurer; W. T. Old, Elizabeth City; G. A. Holderness, Tarboro; L. J. Covington, Rockingham; N. J. Rouse, Kinston; J. L. Armfield, Thomasville; Chas. E. Johnson, Raleigh; R. J. Cobb, Greenville, executive committee. Delegates to American Bankers' Association, J. H. Sawyer, Asheville; J. B. Blades, Newbern; W. A. Blair, Winston; J. V. Granger, Wilmington; W. H. White, Salisbury.

A resolution offered by Mr. C. N. Evans, of Wilmington, expressing the appreciation of the North Carolina banks to the banks of New York for the relief extended during the late panic was unanimously adopted.

Evangelist Kelley's Meetings.

Evangelist Kelley, of Biddeford, Me., who has been conducting an interesting revival at the Advent Christian Church, Sixth and Church streets during the past week, will occupy the pulpit again each evening during this week. The church has secured the services of this able travelling evangelist for another week's revival at the church. Those who have not had the opportunity of hearing him will be privileged to do so. The baptism has been postponed until the 28th.

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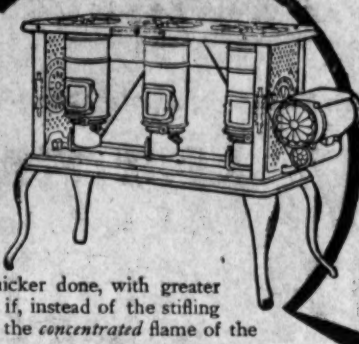
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A SUBTLE LETTER.

The Boy Knew Just How to Rouse His Mother's Sympathy.
(Boston Advertiser.)

"My son certainly does know how to get around his mother," said a wealthy merchant at his club recently. "That boy of mine is a fine fellow, but he has such queer ideas. He writes verses and little sketches, or whatever you call them, and is furious because I want him to be an attorney."

"A few weeks ago he and I had a talk about his future. 'Father,' he said, 'just give me my fare West and I will get a position on a newspaper out there and make you proud of me, but it would be so awfully dull to be only a Boston lawyer.'

"Well, I bought him a ticket to San Francisco and gave him \$25 for pocket money. He had been molly-coddled quite a lot and made to think he was a genius, and I knew to 'get out and rustle' would be the best thing for him."

"I arranged through a western friend of mine to see that the youngster did not starve to death, and I learned through a friend, corroborated by a letter the boy wrote to my wife, that he was earning \$3 a week."

"But that youngster will make a good lawyer just the same. You ought to see the last letter he sent to his mother. After reading it she wired him \$50 as soon as she could get to the telegraph office. She never said a word to me until afterward."

"Here is his letter:

"Dear Mother—I have not written to you for quite a while. I have been so busy. I seldom get to bed before midnight, and I am usually too tired to write. There is an awfully nice lot of boys on this paper, and we are trying to save money. I am writing this in my bathrobe because I pawned my best suit to pay room rent, and the landlady is pressing the other. I sold the rest of my clothes, as a fellow only needs two suits. I think father was so wise to decide I must shift for myself. It was the best thing, and I am doing splendidly. Before this I never thought I could live on the food I eat now, but it seems to nourish me. I had rolls and coffee for breakfast, and I find I do not need any luncheon. Then I have discovered a place—and it is quite clean—where for dinner I can get beans and coffee or a stew and coffee for ten cents. I do not mind a bit about the kind of people who eat here. They are just as good as I am. I hardly ever have to go to bed hungry. Lovingly, 'YOUR BOY.'"

"Do you wonder my wife hurried downtown to telegraph \$50? I am going to send for that son of mine to come home. I may be able to do something with him after all."

OBSERVER VINDICATED

Wins a Victory in the Billings Libel Suit.

(Special to Charlotte Observer.)

Wentworth, June 21.—The highly important and fiercely contested case of Billings against The Observer which has had the careful attention of the court for a week, was brought to a close at the midnight hour last night, when the jury rendered a verdict which for ludicrousness finds no parallel in all North Carolina jurisprudence. So ridiculous and amusing was their decision that spectators stood in groups around the court green and laughed at the idea that a jury could say, by their verdict, that the charges out of which the suit grew were true and then say that the defendant was due the plaintiff \$5,000.

But one must read that verdict in full to understand and enjoy it. After consulting before and after supper for hours they finally delivered themselves of the following verdict:

(1) Did the defendants publish and concerning the plaintiff the matters and things alleged in the complaint?

Answer: Yes. (By consent.)

(2) Were the matters and things published of the plaintiff and alleged to have occurred at and around Blackville, South Carolina, true?

Answer: Yes.

(3) Were the matters and things published of the plaintiff as happening at Waynesville, N. C., true?

Answer: No.

(4) What damages, if any, is the plaintiff entitled to recover?

Answer: Five thousand dollars.

Upon the coming in of the verdict the defendants moved for a new trial on the last issue on the ground it was excessive.

The court being of opinion that the amount of damages was excessive set aside in its discretion said issue of damages and awarded a new trial thereon.

Plaintiff moved the court to set aside the second issue for errors to be assigned in the case on appeal. Overruled and exceptions by plaintiff. Plaintiff appealed to Supreme Court, notice waived and bond fixed at \$100.

SAILS FOR EUROPE

The Mother of Harry Thaw Seeks Health at Foreign Resorts.

(By Wire to the Morning Star) Poughkeepsie, N. Y., June 20.—Harry Thaw announced today that his mother, Mrs. William Thaw, sailed for Europe today. Thaw gave out the following statement in Poughkeepsie jail:

"My mother sailed for Europe today. She was very reluctant and desired to remain until my affairs could be settled, but we all urged her to go for the sake of her health. She will go to some health resort to take the waters."

Evelyn Thaw spent several hours with her husband today. It is understood that Thaw's mother sailed without a reconciliation with her daughter-in-law.

Following the inquiry into the death of Marine Peter G. Hage, several nights ago on the battleship Mississippi at League Island, after a blow over the heart during a boxing contest, the Navy Department has received a report that death was accidental and there remains no further action for the department to take. Hage and his opponent were good friends.



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Notice to Creditors:

Mary Ann Smith, of said County and State, having filed her petition before the undersigned for her homestead exemption as the widow of Owen

Smith, deceased, this is to notify all the creditors of the said Owen Smith that the said petition will be heard at my office in the City of Wilmington, County of New Hanover, North Carolina, on Monday, the 30th day of November, 1908, when and where if they shall appear they may be heard.

Dated this 27th day of May, 1908.

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Justice of the Peace.

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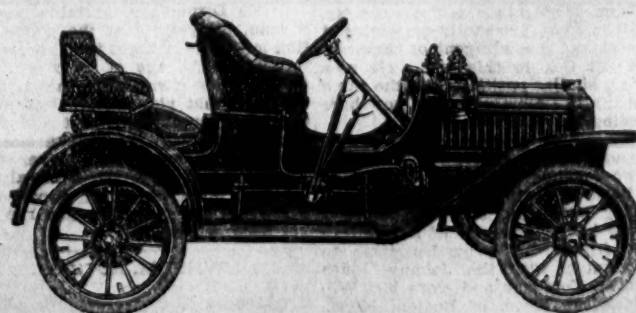
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Monday, June 23, 1908.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., June 23, 1908.
Meteorological data for the 24 hours
ending 8 P. M. Monday, June 22nd:
Temperature at 8 A. M. 78 degrees;
8 P. M. 70 degrees; maximum 89 de-
grees; minimum 69 degrees; mean 79
degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .51; rainfall
for the month 3.31.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at
Fayetteville Monday at 8 A. M. 3.9
feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Local showers
Tuesday; Wednesday fair; variable
winds.

Port Calendar—June 23.

Sun Rises.....4:43 A. M.
Sun Sets.....7:19 P. M.
Day's Length.....14 hrs. 36 min.
High water at Southport 4:13 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 6:43 P. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Miss Maggie Williams, of Burgaw,
is visiting in the city a few days.
—Mr. John M. Clarke, of Charlotte,
was here yesterday on business.

—Mr. Thomas O'Berry, of Goldsboro,
was a business visitor here yester-
day.

—Mr. H. M. Pemberton, of Fayette-
ville, was in the city yesterday on a
short business trip.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Montgomery,
of Spartanburg, S. C., were guests at
The Orton yesterday.

—Mrs. Frederick Poisson and sons,
Messrs. Herbert and Emile Latimer,
of London, are visiting in the city.

—Mrs. Augusta Heide has returned
from a pleasant visit to her son, Mr.
Samuel Skinner Heide, at Birmingham,
Ala.

—Mr. Joe Schad, the well known
contractor, has just returned from a
business and pleasure trip to New
York and Hoboken, N. J.

—Mrs. J. F. Standland and daughters,
Misses Bertha and Helen, are visiting
relatives and friends in Atkinson, N.
C., for a few days.

—Mr. Howard C. Curtis, of South-
port, spent yesterday in Wilmington
en route to Charlotte, where he will
attend the State Convention as a dele-
gate from Brunswick county.

—Mr. J. A. Murphy, of Atkinson,
visited in the city yesterday and
leaves this morning for Charlotte. He
will attend the State Convention as a
delegate from Pender county.

—Mr. J. T. Foy, of Scott's Hill, is
in the city and will leave this after-
noon for Charlotte to attend the State
Convention as a delegate from Pender
county. Mr. Herbert Houtt and others
of the New Hanover delegation will
also go up this afternoon.

—Miss Beulah Howerton, of Dur-
ham, who has been the attractive
guest of Mrs. C. D. Weeks, at her resi-
dence on Princess street, returned
home yesterday morning to the regret
of many friends in Wilmington.

—Assistant Engineer Robert C. Mer-
ritt, of the Corps of United States Ar-
my Engineers in the Wilmington Dis-
trict, returned Saturday night from
Baltimore where he spent several
weeks superintending some construction
work for the government.

—Mr. Otto Banck left yesterday af-
ternoon for New York, whence he will
sail on Wednesday for Bielefeld, Ger-
many, to visit his old home. He will
be away several months and has many
friends who wish him a safe and pleas-
ant voyage.

—Representative T. H. Wells, of
Pender county, was in the city yester-
day on his way to Charlotte to attend
the State Convention. He is a Craig
delegate and takes no stock in the
"dark horse" talk.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Rogers and
children and Miss Edith Stewart, of
Rock Hill, S. C., leave this morning
on the early train for Rock Hill, where
Mrs. Rogers and children will spend
a part of the summer. Mr. Rogers will
go to Charlotte to attend the State
Convention.

—Miss Jule Hopkins returned yester-
day after a pleasant visit to Sall-
sbury, N. C., and will remain here a
few days as the guest of her cousin,
Miss Sophia Campbell, at "The Caro-
lina." Later, accompanied by her sis-
ter, Miss Frances, she will return to
her home in St. Augustine, Fla., going
via Charleston from which port they
will go by steamer.

—Mr. Walter A. Penny returned on
Sunday morning from a ten days' trip
through the West, having spent sev-
eral days in San Antonio, Texas,
where he was the guest of his brother,
Mr. Sam Penny, who is pleasantly re-
membered in Wilmington. Mr. Penny
is enthusiastic over the splendid de-
velopment of the West and was delighted
with his trip.

—Mr. and Mrs. John A. Orrell, for-
merly of Wilmington but now of Co-
lumbia, S. C., arrived in the city Sun-
day on their way to spend a while at
Wrightsville Beach, and are stopping
a few days with the family of Mr. B.
F. King, 509 South Front street. Mr.
Orrell is most pleasantly remembered
as assistant special agent of the Stan-
dard Oil Co., in this city. He now
holds a similar position with the same
company in Columbia and is now here
spending his vacation.

Carnival Couples Wed.

Two marriages were celebrated at
the home of Justice G. W. Bornemann
Sunday afternoon, shortly before 2
o'clock in the presence of a few inti-
mate friends. The parties came to
Wilmington with the Johnny Jones
Carnival Company and were Mr. Wil-
liam E. Honeus, of Boston, Mass.,
Miss Nannie M. Washington, of Punta
Gorda, Fla., and Mr. Roy S. England,
of Hendersonville, and Miss Francis
L. Lambert, of Boston, Mass. The
newly wedded couples left Sunday
night with the other members of the
company for Lake City, S. C.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Several hundred colored people
took advantage of the Monday excur-
sion to Carolina Beach. It was the
regular weekly trip and the crowd
was unusually large.

—Mr. Carl Ligam, a stranger in the
city, was stricken with an attack of
acute indigestion soon after coming
out of the surf at Lumina Sunday af-
ternoon. Dr. S. E. Koonce was sum-
moned and Mr. Ligam was soon
brought around all right.

—A Rambler bicycle was left on the
porch of a gentleman residing in the
city a few nights ago. The wheel was
evidently stolen from some one out
of the city and the same may be re-
covered by applying to Officer M. P.
Newton and describing the property.

—Messrs. D. F. Klein & Son yester-
day brought from their fine farm in
East Wilmington the first cotton
bloom grown in this county, the ear-
liest for a number of years. Mr. Klein
says he hopes to see more of New
Hanover's farmers growing cotton
next season.

—Horny Gause, colored, for assault
and battery and disorderly conduct,
submitted to both charges in Justice
Purlong's court yesterday and was al-
lowed to go after paying the costs. A
second defendant, Samuel Cannady,
colored for disorderly conduct will be
given a trial this morning.

—An error appeared in the adver-
tisement Sunday of the opening of
the new series of stock in the Cit-
izen's Building and Loan Association.
The date of the opening should have
been July 3rd, instead of the 30th
as erroneously given. This stock af-
fords a fine opportunity for saving
and investment and commends itself
to the frugal and the home builder.

THEIR BROTHER DROWNED.

Mr. John Spicer Bryan Victim of Dou-
ble Tragedy Near Albemarle.

A long distance telephone message
yesterday morning to ex-Judge E. K.
Bryan, of this city, conveyed to him
the distressing intelligence that his
brother, Mr. John Spicer Bryan, a
leading young pharmacist of Albe-
marle, N. C., had been drowned while
bathing in the Yadkin river, near that
place, on Sunday afternoon. No fur-
ther particulars, except that the body
had not been found, were given in the
message.

Young Mr. Bryan was a druggist by
profession, about 33 years of age, and
unmarried, being the second son of
Mrs. R. N. Bryan, of Warsaw, who is
prostrated at the sad news of the
death of her favorite son. The third
and younger brother, Mr. W. T. Bryan,
of Red Springs, N. C., arrived in Wil-
mington on the noon train yesterday
on a business trip and did not receive
the sad news that awaited him until
he saw his elder brother. Judge Bryan,
Mrs. Bryan and Mr. W. T. Bryan
left last night, the last named to be
with his mother in her sorrow, and
Judge and Mrs. Bryan continuing their
trip to Albemarle with the hope that
something can be done in the way of
recovering the body. The following
telegram was received last night in re-
gard to the tragedy:

Salisbury, N. C., June 22.—J. S. Bryan,
a prominent pharmacist, and Thomas
Littleton, 21 years old, were
drowned while swimming near here
yesterday afternoon. Mr. Bryan was
seized with cramps while in water 25
feet deep, and Littleton swam to his
rescue, but was carried down with
Bryan. The bodies have not been re-
covered.

Salisbury, N. C., June 22.—The
scene of the drowning was the rapids
below Whitney narrows, seven miles
from Albemarle, and the tragedy oc-
curred at 4 o'clock yesterday after-
noon. A party of eight were in swim-
ming when Mr. Bryan was seized with
cramps and Littleton went to his re-
scue. The former clutched Littleton
and they both sank. Mr. Bryan went
to Albemarle from Goldsboro about
two months ago. Mr. Littleton was
from Salisbury and a son of Dr. Lit-
tleton, who died a few years ago. The
tragedy has cast a gloom over the en-
tire community and every effort is
being made to recover the bodies.

THE POLICE EXCURSION.

Blue Coats to Have Jolly Time on Car-
olina Beach Thursday.

One of the pleasurable events of
the week at Wilmington and her sea-
side resorts will be the annual outing
of the police at Carolina Beach on
Thursday, June 25th. Arrangements
have been under way for several weeks
and the committee feels that the ex-
cursion this year is going to be one
of the most successful yet held. The
public has been very kind in donations
of refreshments, etc., to make the day
a big success and the police desire to
publicly express their appreciation of
the gifts and to say that any further
donations will be thankfully received
at the City Hall. There will be four
trips of the steamer during the day—
at 8:15 and 11 A. M., 2:30 and 7:30 P.
M., with the last boat returning from
the beach between 11 and 12 o'clock.
The Mayor and all city officials have
been invited and the public generally
will be welcome. The fare is only 25
cents for the round trip. There will
be music by Russell's orchestra and
dancing all day in the pavilion.

Started Off With Carnival.

Sylvia Dixon, a respectable colored
woman, complained at the police sta-
tion late Sunday night that her daugh-
ter, under the age of 14 years, was
about to get away with the carnival
company, that played here last week.
Captain George Smith sent an officer
to the train with the woman and the
girl was restored to her mother with-
out resistance from the carnival peo-
ple, who would have been served with
a warrant for abduction, had the girl
not been released.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of the late David E.
Sadgar, who passed away yesterday
afternoon, will be conducted this af-
ternoon at 4 o'clock from the resi-
dence corner of Fifth and Brunswick
streets. Friends and acquaintances
invited to attend. The interment will
be in Pine Point cemetery.

SEVERAL BOUND OVER.

Police Made Raid and Several Negro
Gamblers Were Caught.

A few lovers of the "skin game,"
popular among the colored folks, were
tried before Mayor Springer at the
session of court yesterday and sent
to jail in default of \$50 bond each.
The defendants were Joe Poe, John
Wallace and Sherman Silver and were
caught by Officer R. L. Rouse in an
alley between Dock and Orange
streets early Sunday morning. The
officer watched the progress of the
game some time before he attempted
to interfere and in taking them by sur-
prise managed to capture the whole
bunch. John Sutton was also in the
party arrested, but the evidence
against him was not sufficient to hold
him for the higher court.

A Hill, who was landed in jail on
suspicion of stealing chickens, was
tried, the parties who owned the fowls
offered at such a small price, being lo-
cated and appeared in court against
him. Hill and Tolston Bailey, the
latter being the alleged garden hose
thief, were sent to the higher court
under a bond of \$50 each.

John Smith and Willie Saunders,
colored, were tried on the charge of
stealing brass from the Atlantic Coast
Line. They were arrested Sunday by
Officer Jones and went to jail in de-
fault of \$25 bond each.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

Residence of Mr. W. J. Bergen, on Red
Cross Street, Was Damaged.

During the severe thunder storm
which came over the city from the
northwest between 2 and 3 o'clock yester-
day afternoon, the residence of Mr.
W. J. Bergen, No. 215 Red Cross street
was struck by lightning and damaged
to the extent of perhaps \$200. Mr.
Bergen was at his office with Messrs.
Alexander Sprunt & Son at the time,
but other members of the family were
in the house but were fortunately up-
stairs in another part of the building
and were not injured.

The bolt struck the northeast corner
of the residence on rather an extension
and those in the inside did not know
what had occurred until some minutes
later when daylight was seen through
the roof of the room on that corner.
Some of the weather boarding was
thrown a distance of 30 or 40 feet and
the plaster on the interior was badly
shattered. That the occupants were
in another portion of the residence is
extremely fortunate, the bolt being a
very severe one and came at a time
when it was least expected. The dam-
age to the building is covered by in-
surance with Messrs. J. H. Boatwright
& Son.

MASONS TO SOUTHPORT.

Wilmington Lodges Will Celebrate St.
John's Day on Wednesday.

The celebration of St. John's Day by
the Masons of the local lodges and
Pythagoras Lodge of Southport prom-
ises to be a day of splendor and it is
expected that there will be several
hundred Wilmington people who will
be in attendance upon this occasion,
outside of the strong delegation of
Masons. The steamer Wilmington,
which has been chartered by the Ma-
sons, will convey the large number to
Southport and it is scheduled to leave
Market street wharf at 9 o'clock. Re-
turning the boat will leave the latter
place at 4:30 o'clock.

The features of the outing will be
the address by Rev. A. D. McClure,
D. D., pastor of St. Andrew's Presby-
terian church, public installation of
officers and the music by the Fort Cas-
well band and the Masonic Quartette.
An old fashioned picnic dinner will be
served and all are invited to take
part in enjoying the repast.

THE MEDICAL SOCIETY

Annual Meeting Past Week in Win-
ston Well Attended by Doctors.

Special telegrams to the Star from
day to day have told in brief what
has been accomplished at the recent
meeting of the North Carolina Medi-
cal Society in Winston this week.
Members from Wilmington speak in
the highest terms of the pleasure and
entertainment afforded the visitors at
Winston. The adjournment came
Thursday after a week crowded with
business and the hearing of interest-
ing papers on various questions of
interest to the profession. Dr. Pride
Jones Thomas, of Wilmington, was
elected one of the delegates to the
American Medical Association and Dr.
Geo. G. Thomas, with Dr. Lewis, Dr.
Albert Anderson and Dr. B. K. Hayes
was elected on the committee on Pub-
lic Policy and Legislation. The next
meeting will be the third Tuesday in
June in Asheville, N. C.

Meetings Growing in Interest.

The series of revival services this
week at Brooklyn Baptist church are
growing in interest and will doubtless
attract large congregations. Rev. Fred
N. Day, of Winston-Salem, who is con-
ducting the revival, preached to large
congregations Sunday and last night
and his powerful sermons are accom-
plishing much good. The music is in
charge of Professor Darius Ertman,
formerly a member of the faculty of
Wake Forest College.

Plenty of Trouble.

Is caused by stagnation of the liver
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ache and biliousness and the poison
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Men's \$3.00 Straw, full shape split Yacht Im-
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only\$1.98

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only\$2.48

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nila, only\$1.48

Men's Full Shape Yacht Canton, 50c, 69c
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and 35c

Java Mexican light weight, only.....25c

BATH SUITS AND RUBBER BATHING CAPS!

Men's Bath Suits, 75c, 98c, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50
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Women's Bath Suit, \$1.98, \$2.48, \$3.50 and \$3.98

Rubber Caps, 25c and.....35c

Men's soft Negligee Shirts with attached collar
and cuffs, white, tan, pongee. Suitable for
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Full assortment of Hammocks, \$1.50 to...\$5.00
9x12 Matting Art Squares, only.....\$4.48

REV. R. C. JACKSON DEAD.

Well Known Primitive Baptist Minis-
ter Passed Away Sunday.
(Special Star Telegram.)

Clinton, N. C., June 22.—News has
just been received of the death of Rev.
R. C. Jackson, a well known Free
Will Baptist minister and leading citi-
zen of Sampson county, which occurred
suddenly on Sunday at Parkersburg,
where he had an appointment to
preach. His death was due to an at-
tack of acute indigestion. Mr. Jackson
was a Democratic candidate for the
Legislature two years ago.

Crowd at Carolina Beach.

The concerts by Russell's band
were attractive features of the outing
at Carolina Beach Sunday, and the
crowd that sojourned there during
the day was unusually large compared
with other Sundays this season.
An event of interest this week in so-
cial circles is the dance to-
night at the Beach and it is expected
that there will be quite a crowd from
Wilmington.

FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN



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No other medicine has been so
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ine testimonials as has Lydia E.
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In every community you will find
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table Compound. Almost every
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see the files containing over one mil-
lion one hundred thousand letters
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here are the letters in which they
openly state over their own signa-
tures that they were cured by Lydia
E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.
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Compound has saved many women
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Compound is made from roots and
herbs, without drugs, and is whole-
some and harmless.
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ham's Vegetable Compound is so
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gredients which act directly upon
the feminine organism, restoring it
to a healthy normal condition.
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those distressing ills peculiar to their
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E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound
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\$6.50 to \$70.00



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each year? The solution of
the problem lies with the Re-
frigerator.

If you buy a "NORTH
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The Farmer in the Saddle.

A letter last night from Currie, N. C., says that Mr. Hanson Page, who lives about five miles from that place, sold his cotton last week for \$3,100 cash. Mr. Page is a hard-working, practical farmer, who raises his home supplies and cotton as a "money crop." He also has large quantities of sweet and Irish potatoes, fattens all the pork consumed on his place and sells some. He moved to Pender county a few years ago a poor man. Today he has one of the best improved small farms in the western portion of Pender county. Verily, these are days in which the farmer is "strictly in the saddle."

Meetings at Second Advent Church.

The meetings being held at the Second Advent Church Sixth and Church streets by Evangelist John M. Kelley, of Biddeford, Me., are reported to be growing deeply in interest. A large congregation gathered Sunday at both services to hear him and were visibly moved by his strong discourses, which are declared to have been among the strongest ever heard in the church. Meetings will be held every night at 8 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody. This will be the last week to hear the able evangelist.

Married in Rochester, N. Y.

Friends in this city have received handsomely engraved cards bearing the following announcement: "Mr. and Mrs. Henry Preston Munson announce the marriage of their daughter, Ellen Louise, to Mr. Edwin Curtis Haskin, Saturday, June twentieth, nineteen hundred and eight, Rochester, New York."

EXPLOSION ON THE ARCADIA

Caused By Explosives in a Shipment of Corks.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.) Philadelphia, June 22.—The investigation into the cause of the explosion on the Hamburg-American line steamer Arcadia at her pier in the Delaware river on Saturday seems to develop the fact beyond reasonable doubt that the damage was caused by the explosion of a lot of "knall" corks consigned in bond to the revenue agent at Chicago. There were sixteen cases of these corks in hold No. 4 where the explosion occurred. All told there were nearly a million corks in the consignment and but three cases had been removed when the accident occurred.

The Knall corks are an ordinary cork about 3-4 inch in diameter and one inch long. A hole about 3-8 of an inch in diameter is bored in the small end of the cork and this is filled with a brown powder which the authorities say is a powerful explosive. It was the discharge from these corks it is now held, that made the indentures in the steel bulk head and gave the impression that scrap metal and bullets from a bomb caused the marks. A lot of corks have been taken from those removed from the hold and an analysis will be made of the supposed explosive tomorrow.

ROOSEVELT AT SAGAMORE.

In Practical Seclusion—Rumors of Leob as National Chairman.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.) Oyster Bay, N. Y., June 22.—In practical seclusion today and to a great extent free from official cares President Roosevelt enjoyed himself at Sagamore Hill, spending the hottest hours reading and attending to only such official business as required his immediate attention when Secretary Loeb called. Late in the day the President took his daily exercise.

A movement is afoot among some of the citizens of the village to petition the President to ask Secretary Taft to make a speech to the people when he visits the President at Sagamore Hill this week.

The President will have nothing to say regarding the report from Boston that he had interceded with President Eliot, of Harvard University, in behalf of two members of Harvard Varsity crews, who were dismissed. He will neither affirm nor deny the report.

From Secretary Loeb nothing could be learned regarding his possible appointment by the sub-committee as chairman of the National Republican committee. It is believed here, however, that during Secretary Taft's visit some course of action in the matter will be definitely decided upon.

ROBBING RAILROADS.

Party Under Indictment Pleads Guilty and is Sentenced.

New York, June 22.—Pleading guilty to using the mails to defraud, by means of false freight claims, the Atlantic Coast Line, the Texas & Pacific and the Chicago & Rock Island Railroad companies, Rupert V. Wilson, was today sentenced by Judge Hough in the United States Circuit Court to eight months' imprisonment on Blackwell's Island. Wilson, employed in the freight claims department of the Atlantic Coast Line at Jacksonville, Fla., is alleged to have forged freight bills, and later, with the same company at Wilmington, N. C., to have prepared false claims on these fictitious shipments. Such operations were declared to have been repeated by Wilson, in company with R. C. Stedby, in New York, and afterward similar operations were conducted in the offices of the Rock Island Company in Chicago. More than \$2,000 is alleged to have been realized by the pair before their operations were stopped by their indictment in New York. Stedby, jointly indicted with Wilson and later becoming a witness for the government, has not yet been called to plead.

Captain Alfred R. Reynolds has been ordered to hold himself in readiness to command the new cruiser Montana, which has been under construction at Newport News, Va. Captain Reynolds was formerly in command of the receiving ship Franklin at Norfolk.

Luther Hockem was killed and a number of persons were bruised Saturday by an explosion of 3,000 pounds of nitro-glycerine at the Dupont Powder Company's works at Louviers, 20 miles south of Denver.

DEATH OF MRS. SANDERLIN

Her Death a Great Shock to the Community—Funeral Services.

Council's, N. C., June 22.—Perhaps never before in the history of our town, have our people been so shocked and grieved as when they received the sad news of the death of Mrs. B. J. Sanderlin which occurred at Singletary Lake, near here, the morning of the 20th, where she and a number of friends were having a fishing party. She was stricken with paralysis early in the morning and although the attending physician and loving friends rendered all possible assistance, she passed quietly away in a very few minutes.

She is survived by a loving husband and four children, Mrs. E. B. Council, Willie, Hobson and Louell, and an aged father, Colonel M. L. McRae, and several brothers and sisters, of Maxton.

The remains were accompanied to Maxton by loved ones and a number of friends. The funeral services were held at the McLean cemetery conducted by Rev. Mr. Marlowe, of this place, and Rev. Dr. Hill, of Maxton.

She was a devout Christian and a member of the Missionary Baptist church, having connected herself with the church when quite young.

We all loved her bright and sunny disposition and her gentle ways had won all our hearts. The love and esteem in which we all held her was shown by the long line of vehicles that thronged with people to pay the last sad tribute to her memory, and the many beautiful floral tributes that covered her grave.

We faint would have kept her with us, but death loves a shining mark. God knows best and He has gathered another jewel to Himself.

HOT WAVE IN NEW YORK.

The Whole City Sweating—Many Persons Prostrated.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.) New York, June 22.—A severe heat wave, which has developed in the Eastern States for three days, prostrated over a score of persons, and about New York today. No relief promised for two days by the weather bureau and hospitals are preparing to handle any number of heat cases tomorrow. All New York and its environs sweated today and tonight. There was little reduction in the temperature, which reached a maximum of 86 degrees at the weather bureau at 1 o'clock tonight. Should the heat continue the public parks will be thrown open to all who wish to sleep on the lawns.

GOOD NEWS

Many Wilmington Readers Have Heard It and Profited Thereby.

"Good news travels fast," and the thousands of bad back sufferers in Wilmington are glad to learn that prompt relief is within their reach. Many a lame, weak and aching back is bad no more, thanks to Doan's Kidney Pills. Our citizens are telling the good news of their experience with the Old Quaker Remedy. Here is an example worth reading:

Mrs. E. Alexander, 817 Orange street, Wilmington, N. C., says: "My husband and I both used Doan's Kidney Pills and received splendid results. I had a dull, nagging backache most of the time, also pains across my kidneys and an annoyance from the kidney secretions. My husband's trouble was quite similar to this. When we heard Doan's Kidney Pills highly recommended, we procured a supply from Robert R. Bellamy's drug store and using them according to directions, were given the desired relief. Since then we have had no trouble from this source and are glad to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills as the means of our being cured."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Death Was On His Heels.
Jesse P. Morris, of Skippers, Va., had a close call in the spring of 1906. He says: "An attack of pneumonia left me so weak and with such a fearful cough that my friends declared consumption had me, and death was on my heels. Then I was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery. It helped me immediately, and after taking two and a half bottles I was a well man again. I found out that New Discovery is the best remedy for cough and lung disease in all the world." Sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

A Twenty-year Sentence.

"I have just completed a twenty-year health sentence, imposed by Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which cured me of bleeding piles just twenty years ago," writes O. S. Woolver, of LeRayville, N. Y. Bucklen's Arnica Salve heals the worst sores, boils, burns, wounds and cuts in the shortest time. 25c at R. R. Bellamy's drug store.

Are Your Kidneys Well?

Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, Dropsy, Inflammation of the Bladder, Bad Blood and Nervous Troubles caused by Sick Kidneys.

J. Frank Jarman, the well known Druggist of 107 Princess street, Wilmington, N. C., knows by experience that HINDIPO will cure all forms of Kidney and Nervous Troubles, and will guarantee it in all cases. Can't you afford to try it at their risk? It costs you nothing if it don't do the work.

Sent by mail to any address, prepaid, on receipt of 50 cents. Six boxes, \$2.50. Under a positive guarantee.

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The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and children, 50c.

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The A. D. T. Messengers will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co., or for Notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charges for the telegrams, and but a small charge for notes. For this service call Western Union, Phone 2. But for Advertisements always call the Star office, Phone 51.

FOR SALE—Property on Water street, 66x247, rents \$25 per month—\$2,500 will buy it. Lots on St. James' Square, \$1,500 and \$1,600. Lot on Ann street with one-story dwelling for \$2,000. Smith & Lord, 114 Princess street, phone 766. ju 22-1t

WANTED EMPLOYMENT—Bookkeeping, clerk, salesman or any employment, where the services of a young man having a high school education and a graduate of Draughon's Business College can be utilized, who means business and is not scared of work. Can furnish good references. Address "Employment" care of Star. City. pu 22-1t

LOST—On Wrightsville Beach Sunday, white setter dog, black head, answers to name of "Root"; city badge 190. Reward if returned to Thos. D. Meares, 408 Market street, or phone 180. ju 23-1t

ANNOUNCEMENT—We beg to inform all users of machinery oils, and particularly automobiles oils, that we have made special arrangements with Mr. A. N. Dubois, the analytical chemist, office Worth Building, Wilmington, N. C., to show you our complete line of machinery and automobile oils, give you prices and take your orders. The quality of our oils is the very best and the price as low as can be made. A trial sample order will convince you. O. F. Zurn Co., manufacturers and wholesale dealers, office and works, Broad and Lehigh Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa. ju 21-1m

THE WOMAN'S EXCHANGE will close each Saturday at one o'clock. ju 20-3t

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Newbern Journal: The dog ordinance is in effect and six warrants were returned this morning against six citizens in the city police court for the violation of the city ordinance by allowing their dogs to run at large on the streets; judgment was suspended in each case.

—Charlotte Chronicle: The Mecklenburg County convention to name delegates to the State and Congressional conventions which meet here this week, was a stormy and wild scene of shouting and calls for "questions" during a good part of the session this morning in the court house, and many heated speeches and replies were indulged in, the outcome being that the county will have 66 delegates to represent her in the State convention next week, three delegates to each vote.

—Washington Messenger: W. T. Carrow, who was arrested at Belhaven some time ago for alleged mistreatment of his wife, was released on bond yesterday from the county jail, mainly through the efforts of his wife who is here. Carrow was accused of the most inhuman misuse of his wife, but Mrs. Carrow emphatically denies that he abused her, and came in person to this office yesterday afternoon with a denial of the charge.

—Charlotte Observer: Col. Peg Leg Graham, of Sharon, is a mighty Horne man. He was in the city Saturday to attend the county convention and brought with him a noted fox horn which was fashioned in 1812 and has quite a history. Colonel Graham stated that he was coming to the State Democratic convention and that he would bring this same horn along with him. "When Horne is nominated," said he, "I am going to stick this old horn to my mouth and I am going either to lift the roof off, or give a blast that will be a Gabriel blast."

—Salisbury, June 20.—Frank Smith, the negro who the officers here are quite certain is the man shot while attempting to burglarize the home of Editor W. H. Stewart last Wednesday morning, died at his home in Dixonville yesterday. Besides the incriminating statements given by both Smith and his wife and the fact that Smith called in a doctor about one hour after the man was shot at Mr. Stewart's home on Ellis street, drops of blood were found on the cement pavements leading from this street in the direction of Dixonville. Had the negro lived he would have had to stand trial for burglary.

—Tarboro Southern: Nathan Dawson, of Conecote, one of the most prominent citizens of Edgecombe county, narrowly escaped death Thursday night from an overdose of Nux Vomica, which was taken by mistake for his regular medicine. Mr. Dawson has been slightly ill for several days and upon asking his granddaughter for a dose of the regular medicine, Mr. Dawson was given a dose of the strychnine drug, the size of which was sufficient for three ordinary doses. Dr. Spencer Bass was summoned at once and arrived in time to apply the necessary antidotes. After much work Mr. Dawson was relieved of the poison. It was a narrow call for this well known citizen.

—Chapel Hill, June 20.—Everything is now quite on the Hill. Most of the faculty members together with their families are away spending the summer, thus giving to the village a very deserted appearance. The Summer School for Teachers is now in operation with quite a large attendance. The school is cared for by an able corps of instructors composed for the most part of University teachers who will devote a large part of the summer to this work. The Summer Law School has begun work in earnest. This school is composed of a number of steady, energetic young men, a large majority of whom will probably take the examination before the Supreme Court in August.

—News and Observer: Mr. J. F. Rerrill, who recently returned from the West, tells the story of a young Raleigh boy who made a hit with his teacher in the Freeport, Ill., schools recently. The youngster is a son of Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Cobb, formerly of Raleigh. The teacher in asking him how many flags there are received the reply, "two." She remonstrated that there was but one and that "Old Glory." Young Cobb wouldn't be downed. He said: "There's two, because grand-pa's got a United States flag down stairs and mamma's got a Confederate flag up stairs." Mrs. Cobb's father was General Atkins of the Federal Army, who was stationed in Raleigh after the war and married a daughter of Governor Swain, then president of the University of North Carolina.

—Charlotte Observer: Mr. Harriot Clarkson, the president of the State Anti-Saloon League, has received from Governor Robert Broadnax Glenn the silver pen staff and point with which he annexed his mighty signature to the proclamation issued last week, proclaiming to all the people that the prohibition law submitted by the late special term of the Legislature to the suffrages of the people of the Commonwealth on May 26th, had been by the vote of that people made effective. This was issued in accordance with the provisions of the bill itself as passed by the last Legislature. The pen arrived Saturday. It is highly treasured by Mr. Clarkson, who is rather more than lukewarm on the subject of prohibition. It will be preserved in pure alcohol, together with the accompanying letter from Governor Glenn.

A dispatch from Coal Creek, Tennessee, says that the Bank of Anderson county at that place failed to open its doors Saturday. The capital stock of the bank is \$10,000 and the deposits \$35,000. A receiver will be appointed at once.



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Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
6:30 A. M.	6:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P. M.	and every half hour thereafter until 11:45 P. M.

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
*6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight depot open daily except Sunday from 8:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M.
* This train leaves from Front and Princess. Freight received from 5:40 to 6:00 A. M.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
8:30 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P. M.	and every half hour thereafter until 11:45 P. M.

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
11:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
10:00 A. M.	11:00 A. M.

Freight depot open on Sundays.
Carolina Place, Delgado and Golf Links.
Leave Junction every 30 minutes from 6:45 A. M. to 10:15 P. M. Sundays 8:45 A. M. to 10:15 P. M. Leave Golf Links every 30 minutes from 7:00 A. M. to 10:30 P. M. Sundays 9:00 A. M. to 10:30 P. M.

Special Baseball Schedule.

On days when games are advertised cars will leave Junction for grounds every 10 minutes from 2:15 to 4:15 P. M. On these days beach trains leaving Junction at 2:30, 3:00, 3:30 and 4:00 P. M. will not stop at the Baseball Grounds.

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No. 44 at 12:45 A. M. from Charlotte, Hamlet and local stations.

No. 40 arrives 12:50 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 38 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, and all points North and South.

Trains Leave Wilmington as Follows

No. 45	No. 39
Lv. Wilm'tn... 4:50 A. M.	3:00 P. M.
Ar. Lumb'tn... 7:26 A. M.	5:55 P. M.
Ar. Marton... 8:15 A. M.	6:49 P. M.
Ar. Hamlet... 9:15 A. M.	7:50 P. M.
Lv. Hamlet... 9:45 A. M.	8:25 P. M.
Ar. Monroe... 11:40 A. M.	10:25 P. M.
Ar. Ch'lotte... 12:35 P. M.	11:30 P. M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66 for Raleigh and Richmond and points north. At Monroe with No. 53 for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth, Norfolk and No. 47 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

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COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, June 22.
SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market nothing doing.
ROSIN—Market, quiet \$2.45 per barrel of 280 pounds.
TAR—Market, firm \$1.50.
CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm \$2.00 per barrel for hard, \$2.70 for dip and \$3.75 for virgin.
 Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin, \$4.07 1-2; tar firm \$2.40; crude turpentine \$3.50, \$4.75, \$5.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine 72
 Rosin 316
 Tar 4
 Crude Turpentine 122
 Receipts—Same day last year, 135 casks spirits turpentine; 480 barrels rosin; 91 barrels tar; 63 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet, 11 5-8 cents for middling.
 Same day last year—Nominal, 11 7-8 cents for middling.
 Receipts—569 bales, same day last year.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime 65c; extra prime 70c; fancy 75c per bushel of 28 lbs; Virginia—No. 1, 70c; fancy 75c; Spanish 75c.
CORN—Firm, 95c per bushel for white; 92 1-2c for mixed.
N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, new 13c; shoulders 11c; sides 11c; dull, 11c.
EGGS—Firm and in good demand at 17c.
CHICKENS—Dull at 15c for large springs; grown, firm, 35c.
BEEFWAX—Firm at 26c.
TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.
BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 4c per pound on foot.
HIDES—Dry flint, 8c; green 4c per pound.
SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 90c \$1.00 per bushel.
COW PEAS—\$1.90 \$2.00 per bushel.
WOOL—Free of burr, 15c; burry wool, 10 to 12 1-2c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
 New York, June 22.—The cotton market was easier today and while the close was steady in tone, last prices showed a net loss of 16 to 28 points. Sales were estimated at 150,000 bales.
 The market opened barely steady at a decline of 3 to 9 points in response to lower cables, favorable weather over the week-end, bearish crop accounts and unfavorable trade advices for the continent. There was some little irregularity during the early session, but the general tendency of the market was downward and the lowest points were reached on the late trading with the close only a shade up from the lowest on the new crop months and at bottom figures on near positions which ruled relatively weak all day. Next Friday will be the first of July notice day in the local market and part of the selling of that position today was supposed to reflect liquidation by training losses to avoid deliveries. Crop advices from points east of the Mississippi were general and the scattering showers over Saturday were thought to be beneficial particularly in Southern Texas. Southern spot markets reported early were steady to firm at unchanged prices. Local traders are looking forward to a bearish government report on July first carrying the crop up to June 25th and predictions of rain 83 to 85 per cent. are heard around the street as to its probable showing.
 Receipts at the ports today 8,437 bales against 7,029 last week and 8,347 last year. For the week 50,000 bales against 48,723 last week and 27,984 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 3,362 bales against 583 last year and at Houston 851 bales against 305 last year.
 Spot quiet, 20 points lower; middling uplands 12.00; middling gulf 12.25; sales 25 bales. Futures opened barely steady and closed steady.

Month	Open	Close
June	10.37	10.37
July	10.50	10.36
August	10.47	10.30
September	10.12	9.97
October	9.50	9.36
November	9.30	9.21
December	9.28	9.19
January	9.25	9.15
February	9.23	9.15
March	9.23	9.14
April	9.25	
May	9.23-25	

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
Galveston—Quiet, 11 7-8; Net receipts 2,560.
New Orleans—Quiet, 11 7-8; Net receipts 3,362.
Mobile—Steady, 11 3-8; Net receipts 258.
Savannah—Steady, 11 5-8; Net receipts 850.
Charleston—Firm, 11 7-8.
Wilmington—Quiet, 11 5-8; Net receipts 569.
Norfolk—Quiet, 12.00; Net receipts 789.
Baltimore—Nominal, 12 3-8.
New York—Quiet, 12.00.
Boston—Quiet, 12.20; Net receipts one.
Philadelphia—Quiet 12.25.
 Total today, at all ports, Net 8,437; Great Britain 450; France 111; Continent 2,995; Stock 273,385.
 Consolidated, at all ports, Net 14,140; Great Britain 450; France 1,733; Continent 6,632.
 Total since Sept. 1, at all ports Net 8,150,389; Great Britain 2,809,730; France 816,443; Continent 3,229,662; Japan 190,214; Mexico 1,549.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 11 11-16; Net receipts 851.
Augusta—Firm, 12.00; Net receipts 360.
Memphis—Steady, 11 3-4; Net receipts 201.
St. Louis—Steady, 11 3-4.



Cincinnati—Net receipts 717.
 Louisville—Firm, 12.00.
 Little Rock—Steady, 11 3-8; Net receipts 337.
 Total today—Net receipts 2,466; gross receipts 5,155; shipments 6,199; sales 257; stock 120,750.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)
 Liverpool, June 22.—Spot cotton easier; American middling fair 7.22; good middling 6.86; middling 6.58; low middling 6.20; good ordinary 5.62; ordinary 5.22.
 The sales of the day were 5,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 4,700 American. Receipts 27,000 bales, including 17,400 American. Futures opened steady and closed barely steady. American middling G O C: June 5.95; June and July 5.88 1-2; July and August 5.82; August and September 5.55; September and October 5.28 1-2; October and November 5.16 1-2; November and December 5.10; December and January 5.06 1-2; January and February 5.06; February and March 5.03; March and April 5.03 1-2.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
 New York, June 22.—The dry goods market was generally quiet for the day. Jobbers announced semi-annual clearance sales beginning Wednesday. Dress goods remained generally quiet with an easier tone on fall goods. Raw silk was higher and there was a speculation tone to prices. Cotton goods were quiet. Yarns remained quite firm.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
 New York, June 22.—The weakness of stocks today gave an impression of less passiveness than the occasional droop with intervals of recovery last week. There was only small expansion in the volume of dealings to account for this appearance. The active desire shown to get out of holdings of one or two stocks was largely accountable for the changed tone of the dealings. Rock Island securities were the conspicuous example in continuance of a sudden decline which commenced in the closing dealings on Saturday and which had a considerable influence in unsettling the tone.

There was nothing in the general news to prompt selling of stocks. The accumulating of banking reserves is reaching a point that seems to necessitate active measures to find employment for these great sums. Paris took gold from London today and the unsatisfied appetite of that center and of Berlin for the metal constitutes the first ripple in the money market. Reports of the placing of part of the new bond issue of the national way of Mexico with Paris bankers were believed to explain the decline in our foreign exchange market. Traffic officials of the great railroad systems spoke in a tone of some encouragement of the business outlook although having small actual increase in tonnage movement to report. Such an increase was inferable from the statistics of surplus idle freight cars on June 10 given out by the American Railway Association, the total at that time having fallen to 349,994, a decrease since May 27 of 31,910 cars. There was some discussion of a possible concerted wage reduction by southern railroads and this had a bad effect on the tone of the market. The closing tone was weak. A further break in the Rock Island collateral bonds and another fractional shading in the new Union Pacific 4s were features of the bond market which was heavy. Total sales, par value, \$2,535,000. United States bonds unchanged. Total sales of stocks today were 425,500 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
 New York, June 22.—Money on call easy 1 1-4 to 1 3-4, ruling rate 1 1-2, closing bid 1 1-4, offered at 1 1-2. Time loans firm and dull, sixty days 2 per cent, and ninety days 2 to 2 1-4 per cent, six months 3 1-2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3 to 3 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual

business in bankers bills at 4.87 for demand and at 4.8550 for sixty day bills. Commercial bills 4.85 to 4.85 1-2. Bar silver 54 1-2. Mexican dollars 47.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refunding 2s reg. 104 1-2
 U. S. Refunding 2s cou. 106
 U. S. 3s reg. 101
 U. S. 3s cou. 101
 U. S. new 4s reg. 121 1-4
 U. S. new 4s cou. 122 1-4
 American Tobacco Co. 6s 105
 Atlantic Coast Line 4s 92
 Baltimore & Ohio 4s 98 1-2
 L. & N. Unified 4s 98 1-2
 Seaboard Air Line 4s 94
 Southern Railway 5s 99
 U. S. Steel 5s 96 1-4

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper 66 1-4
 American Car & Foundry 33 1-2
 Amr. Car & Foundry pfd. 96
 Amr. Cotton Oil Co. 30 1-4
 Amr. Locomotive 41
 Amr. Smelting & Ref pfd. 99 1-2
 Amr. Sugar Refining 122
 Amr. Tobacco pfd. 89 1-4
 Atchafalpa 80
 Atlantic pfd. 92
 Atlantic Coast Line 85
 Baltimore & Ohio 84 5-8
 Baltimore & Ohio pfd. 81 3-8
 Chesapeake & Ohio 40 1-2
 Erie 18 3-8
 Erie 1st pfd. 34 1-4
 Erie 2nd pfd. 22 1-2
 Kansas City Southern 22 3-4
 Kansas City Southern pfd. 54 1-2
 L. & N. 101
 New York Central 101 3-4
 Norfolk & Western 67
 Pennsylvania 120
 People's Gas 91
 Reading 110 1-4
 Rock Island Co. 15 3-4
 Rock Island Co. pfd. 29 3-4
 Standard Oil 597
 Southern Pacific 84 3-4
 Southern Pacific pfd. 119
 Southern Railway 16 3-4
 Southern Railway pfd. 43
 U. S. Steel 36 3-8
 U. S. Steel pfd. 100 3-4
 Va.-Car. Chemical 22 1-2
 Va.-Car. Chemical pfd. 100 1-2
 Seaboard Air Line 51 3-8
 Seaboard Air Line pfd. 51 3-8
 Western Union 51 3-8

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, June 22.—Flour, firm.
 Eye Flour—Quiet.
 Corn Meal—Steady.
 Wheat—Spot irregular; No. 2, 96 elevator. Options 1-2 to 5-8c net higher. July 95 1-8; September 92 5-8.
 Corn—Spot firm; No. 2, 78 1-2 elevator. Options firm. July closed 78 5-8, Sept. 76 3-4.
 Oats—Spot steady; mixed 54 to 55, Lard—Firm.
 Pork and Tallow—Steady.
 Rice and Peanuts—Steady.
 Molasses—Dull.
 Sugar—Raw fair; fair refining 3.81; centrifugal 96 test 4.31; molasses sugar 3.56; refined quiet.
 Coffee—Quiet; No. 7 Rio 6 1-4; Santos No. 4, 8 3-4. Mild quiet; Cordova 9 3-4 to 10 1-2. Futures net unchanged to 5 points lower.
 Butter—Unsettled; creamery specials 23 1-2; creamery extras 23; creamery thirds to first 19 to 22 1-2; State dairy common to choice 19 to 23; process, thirds to specials 14 1-2 to 22.
 Cheese—Firm; new, State full cream specials 12 1-4 to 13 1-4; small or large, colored or white 10 to 12; skims 1 to 9 1-4c.
 Eggs—Steady; fancy white 22 to 23; good to choice 20 to 21; brown and mixed fancy 21 to 22.
 Cotton Seed Oil—Quiet with prices easier. Prime crude 28; prime summer yellow 46 1-2; off summer yellow 43 to 45 1-2; prime white 47 to 50; prime winter yellow 47 to 49 1-2.
 Freights to Liverpool—Steady; cotton by steam 12 cents; grain by steam 1 1-4c nominal.
 Peanuts—Firm; fancy handpicked 5 3-4 to 6; other domestic 2 3-4 to 5 1-2.
 Potatoes—Steady; No. 1 per barrel 2.50 to 3.50; second and culls 1.00 to 2.00; sweets, per basket 1.00 to 2.00.
 Cabbages—Quiet, 25 cents to 1.25 per crate.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, June 22.—The local wheat was irregular today, the July option

being heavy and the distant deliveries firm. At the close the July delivery was unchanged. Corn was 1-8 to 1-4c higher. Oats were unchanged. Provisions were 2 1-2 to 7 12 to 10c higher.

	Opening	Highest	Closing
Wheat—			
July	86 3-8	87 1-2	86 5-8
Sept.	85	86 5-8	85 3-4
Dec. or	87 1-8	87 3-8	87 1-8
Dec. ne	86	87 1-4	86 7-8
Corn—			
July	69 5-4	70 3-8	69 7-8
Sept.	69 1-2	70 3-4	70
Dec.	59	59 3-8	59 1-2
May	59	59 3-8	59 1-8
Oats—			
July	46 1-8	46 3-8	45 7-8
July ne	44 1-2	45 1-8	44 3-4
Sept.	39 1-8	39 3-4	39 1-4
Dec.	40 3-8	40 3-8	39 7-8
May	41	42 3-8	41 7-8

Mess Pork, per bbl.—
 July 14 50
 Sept. 14 87 1-2
 Dec. 14 87 1-2
 May 14 75
 Lard, per 100 lbs.—
 July 9 97 1-2
 Sept. 9 15
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PAPER TRUST RUN TO EARTH

Twenty-Four Companies Admit
Violation of Anti-Trust
Law.

PLEAD GUILTY IN COURT

They are Fined Two Thousand Dollars Each—Profess Ignorance of Having Violated Law—Light Punishment.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, June 22.—A fine of \$2,000 was imposed upon each of 24 companies manufacturing manila wrapping paper by Judge Hough in the United States Circuit Court today. All but one of the companies, the Allen Brothers Company, of Sandy Hill, N. Y., pleaded guilty on Friday last to maintaining an illegal combination in restraint of trade. They were members of the Manila & Fibre Association.

In imposing the fines Judge Hough said the combination of paper manufacturers was a clear violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, but because of extenuating circumstances he would impose a fine only. The companies have arranged to pay their fines through their counsel.

The case against the companies was instituted through the instrumentality of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, for which John Norris, of this city, acted as agent. The companies composed almost the entire membership of the combine of wrapping paper manufacturers, which was organized by John H. Parks in 1906. On complaint of Mr. Norris the Federal grand jury began an investigation of the combine two months ago and on Friday last returned indictments against Parke and 25 companies. Solomon M. Strook, counsel for the combine, appeared in the Federal court and pleaded guilty for 23 of the companies.

District Attorney Stimson stated in court that in view of the fact that the companies had saved the Government expense by pleading guilty he was willing that light fines should be imposed. Counsel for the companies declared that the combine was formed two years ago to save them from bankruptcy because of the methods of agents for consumers, who, he alleged, favored first one group of paper mills and then another in order to cut prices. Counsel also declared that the combine was dissolved when it learned that the association came within the provisions of the Sherman law. Mr. Norris said today that the admitted profit of the pool was \$1,600,000 annually.

Chicago, June 22.—The hottest day of the year brought death and suffering to Chicago. Seven deaths were reported yesterday to the coroner's office and heat prostrations were numerous. In addition a mad dog scare spread through the city and the chief of police ordered his men to shoot all unmuzzled dogs.

THE PRESIDENTIAL CONTEST

View of Situation by Chairman of New York Democratic Committee.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, June 22.—William J. Connors, of Buffalo, chairman of the State Democratic committee, who was in New York today, said to several newspaper men that he believed that Mr. Taft would be an easy candidate for the Democrats to defeat.

"There were several stronger men who might have been nominated," said Mr. Connors, "but none weaker. His only qualification for the office is that Roosevelt wanted him."

"Oh, well, I'd rather say nothing about Sherman. Everybody knows about him."

"Isn't the nomination of Bryan as certain as Taft's?" Mr. Connors was asked.

"I won't believe it until I see it," he declared. "There are other Democrats who can defeat Taft beyond a doubt."

"Who, Johnson?"

"To a certainty."

"Well, if the New York delegation sees that Bryan's nomination is a certainty, will it fall into line?"

"We'll wait until we get to the convention."

"Will the platform be radical?"

"Yes, to a certain extent."

"Will it contain a court plank?"

"I'd rather have it contain none than the one that was put into the Republican platform; that means nothing."

"Labor will cut a strong figure in the election, will it not?"

"It always does," said Mr. Connors.

LUKE WRIGHT AS SECRETARY.

To Hold Conference With Secretary Taft—Is Noncommittal.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Memphis, Tenn., June 22.—General Luke E. Wright will leave Thursday for Washington. He expects to hold a conference with Secretary Taft before taking up his duties as Secretary of War to which he was recently appointed by President Roosevelt. General Wright said that existing arrangements in the war department would be disturbed little. He said:

"I am only going in for a few months—until next March."

"Don't you expect then to be retained in Mr. Taft's cabinet if he should be elected?" he was asked.

"I don't anticipate anything," was the reply with a smile.

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TAFT AT YALE COLLEGE

A Busy Day for the Candidate for President — Enthusiastically Received by College Officials and Student Body—His Class.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New Haven, Conn., June 22.—Secretary of War William H. Taft returned to Yale, his Alma Mater, today, to attend the reunion of his class, that of '78. Although his intentions were to join his classmates as Taft of '78, he found himself the chief guest of the commencement exercises and he had scarcely entered the shadow of the university buildings before he took up the duties of a number of the corporation.

Very few opportunities came for him to clasp the hands of the many '78 men who had gathered in the old Edwards mansion on Elm street, selected as class headquarters, for he was immediately escorted to Woodbridge Hall for the corporation meeting, then into commons to speak to the young men who are about to be given their law school sheepskins, then to the law school and finally to the college hall, where the medical exercises were held.

Mr. Taft reached the city at 1 o'clock unaccompanied. Mrs. Taft and Master Charles Taft having reached here on an earlier train and gone to the home on Prospect street of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Farnam, whose guests they are to be until Thursday. Mr. Taft was met at the station by a delegation from his class, and, after an exchange of greetings, he stepped into an automobile and whisked away to the Edwards house, where about forty '78 men were ready to extend a welcoming hand.

After a short stay, the Secretary went to Woodbridge hall, where the corporation was in session. He left this meeting a little later, walked across the campus to the commons and passing in was met with a cheer from those who first got a glimpse of him. His advent was just at the conclusion of an address by ex-Senator Spooner, of Wisconsin.

The entire alumni bodies rose and cheered the Secretary until Memorial Hall re-echoed. Later on Mr. Taft spoke to the young men, who, in cap and gown, sat at a long table in front of him. The Secretary subsequently returned to the corporation meeting and at its conclusion donned the robes of a doctor of laws, and walked to the law school. As he entered the auditorium John W. Foster, was making an address, but the audience rose and cheered wildly. At the close of these exercises, the Secretary, accompanied by President Hadley and escorted by the faculty of the medical school, walked to College Hall where he attended the exercises there.

On the steps of Osborn Hall were gathered groups of Yale men back to their reunion, most of them in fantastic garb and these lustily cheered him. At College Hall the Secretary was joined by his brother, Horace D. Taft, of Watertown, Conn., who accompanied him back to Woodbridge Hall, when the exercises were ended. This in effect ended Mr. Taft's first official day at Yale.

THE TAFT NOTIFICATION

To be a General Holiday and Non-Partisan Affair in Cincinnati.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Cincinnati, June 22.—A general holiday for the day when William Howard Taft will be formally notified of his nomination as Republican candidate for the Presidency is planned by the local organizations, the celebration to be entirely non-partisan. Committees met today at the business men's club to begin preparations.

It is planned to make the notification day, which will come about the middle of July, a general holiday. Banks, business houses and factories of the city will be closed. The notification committee, representing every State and Territory of the country which was appointed by the Republican National committee will be welcomed and entertained at a special reception. There will be a big parade and outdoor demonstrations, the details of which have not yet been worked out. It is probable that it will be held in one of the parks and that Secretary Taft will be invited to make an address. It has also been suggested that the notification be made a public function.

LAND FRAUD CASES.

The Federal Jury After Long Consideration Convict Two Defendants.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, June 22.—After being out nearly 75 hours the jury in the land fraud cases, which have been on trial in the criminal court for the past three months found Frederick H. Hyde and J. H. Schneider guilty on all but 10 of the 42 counts in the indictment. John A. Benson and Henry P. Diamond were acquitted.

Benson and Diamond were immediately released from custody. All four men have been under \$10,000 bail. Hyde's bail was increased under the jury's verdict to \$20,000 and Schneider to \$12,500. Both furnished the increased bail.

Sentence was deferred and when imposed, the two men will have four days in which to file notice of an appeal. The maximum penalty for the offense on which they are held by the jury is imprisonment of two years, or \$10,000 fine for both.

Benson was convicted some time ago in California with Dr. Perrin under another section of the conspiracy law in connection with public land matters. He was sentenced to 10 months' imprisonment and his appeal from that sentence is now pending.

A decision handed down yesterday by Justice Kane, of the State Supreme Court of Oklahoma, affirms the exclusive power of the Corporation Commission to fix railroad rates within the State, subject to an appeal from their action to the Supreme Court.

MR. SHERMAN

TAKEN ILL

The Republican Vice Presidential Candidate Suddenly Stricken.

HIS CASE NOT SERIOUS

Violent Indigestion From Overwork and Heat at the Convention—Had to Stop Over in Cleveland. Demonstration Postponed

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Cleveland, O., June 22.—James S. Sherman, Republican nominee for Vice President, has been ill here for two days. His illness has necessitated his remaining here tomorrow.

Mr. Sherman, on his way from Cincinnati to Cleveland Saturday night, was seized with a bilious attack. Upon arrival here he went to the home of Myron T. Herrick, former Governor of Ohio, whose guest he was to be over Sunday. He was compelled to go immediately to his room. He was unable to see anyone either yesterday or today. He had a large number of important conferences scheduled to take place in this city and was compelled to break them all.

The physician who was summoned to attend him ordered that no one should be admitted to the room and that Mr. Sherman be not disturbed. There was nothing to alarm at any time in the distinguished patient's condition. His illness is believed to have been the result of hard work at the Republican National Convention, there keeping unusual hours, and the heat at Chicago and Cincinnati where he went with the sub-committee of the National Committee for the night to meet Mr. Taft, the nominee for President.

His physician had no doubt that Mr. Sherman would be able to continue his journey to Utica tomorrow, as the attack is at an end. The present plan is for him to leave Cleveland at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning for his home in Utica, N. Y., accompanied by his secretary and one or two friends.

A great welcome home demonstration was planned for him tonight at Utica, but it had to be declared off. It may, however, be carried out tomorrow on his arrival there.

An effort was made today to learn Mr. Sherman's wishes with reference to the selection of a National chairman to conduct the Republican campaign, but no expression could be obtained from him directly. One of Mr. Sherman's closest friends said, however, that if the chairmanship question were left to him the Vice Presidential candidate would choose Myron T. Herrick, of Cleveland, whom he regarded as the most available man, having the necessary qualifications to fill this important position.

SOME RAILWAY DECISIONS.

Important Cases Decided by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, June 22.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today announced its decision in the case of Rice against the Georgia Railroad Company, holding in effect that the conditions under which coal is transported from Jellico, Tenn., to Augusta, Ga., are so dissimilar to the conditions under which coal is transported to Augusta from the Alabama fields as to warrant the railroad in charging more for the haul from Jellico; also that water competition at Charleston relieves the railroad from the charge of violation of the long and short haul clause and finally that the railroad rates on coal from Jellico to Augusta are not unreasonable.

Regarding the complaint that the reweighing of carload shipments of coal is unreasonable, the commission sustains that contention and orders the railroad to correct its methods so as to permit correction when variation of one per cent., with a minimum of 500 pounds, is disclosed.

In the case of the Rail and River Company against the Baltimore & Ohio, the commission held that any regulation that withdraws from a shipper equal opportunity of rates is unlawful and requires the railroad company to count the railway fuel cars and leased or private cars against the distributive shares of available cars to which the operators are entitled on interstate shipments of coal.

In the case of Gunn against the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad and other like suits, the commission held that the competitive conditions existing at Bristol and not at Johnson City render it permissible for the Southern Railway to haul traffic through Johnson City to Bristol at lower rates than it charges on the same goods to Johnson City, but that it is unlawful to haul through Johnson City to Morristown at less rates than they charge on the same goods to Johnson City.

MORE BRYAN INSTRUCTIONS.

Democratic Convention of Tenth N. C. District Endorses Him.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Asheville, N. C., June 22.—The Democratic convention of the Tenth Congressional District today re-nominated Congressman W. T. Crawford for the Sixty-first Congress. Resolutions instructing the delegates of the Tenth District to vote and stand fast for W. J. Bryan at the State Democratic convention which meets at Charlotte on Wednesday were adopted by acclamation, as were also resolutions demanding a revision of the tariff and vigorous prosecution of trusts. The Hon. William J. Cooke, of Buncombe county, and T. C. Mills, of Polk county, were elected delegates to the National convention at Denver.

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National League.
At New York 7; Chicago 1.
At Pittsburgh 0; Cincinnati 4.
At Brooklyn 1; Philadelphia 0.
At Boston 0; St. Louis 1.
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At Cleveland 2; Philadelphia 9.
At Detroit 4; Chicago 1.
Southern League.
At Atlanta 4; Nashville 5.
At Little Rock 6; Mobile 1.
At Memphis 6; New Orleans 2.
At Birmingham 5; Montgomery 0.
South Atlantic League.
At Augusta 1; Columbia 3.
At Macon 4; Savannah 3.
At Charleston 0; Jacksonville 0 (5 innings, rain.)
Virginia League.
At Norfolk 2; Lynchburg 1.
At Portsmouth 3; Roanoke 5.
At Danville 4; Richmond 2.
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At Winston-Salem 0; Spartanburg 5; second game Spartanburg 2; Winston-Salem 1.

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